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(X) Declaration

Respectfully submitted,

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Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/DK2005/000010 01/11/2005

Foreign Applications

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The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US 10/585,501**

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Manually Actuable Steering Device

Preliminary Class

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **A MANUALLY ACTUABLE STEERING DEVICE**, the specification of which:

- (a) ☐ is attached hereto; or
- (b) ☒ was filed on July 6, 2006 as Application No. 10/585,501
- (c) ☒ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. PCT/DK2005/000010 filed on January 11, 2005.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56;

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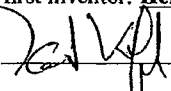
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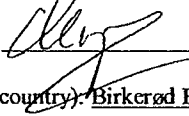
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